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**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Christophe KOPP et al.

Group Art Unit:

Application No.: 10/528,358

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Docket No.: 123236

For: OPTICAL DEVICE PRODUCING TWO BEAMS CAPABLE OF REACHING A  
COMMON SENSOR

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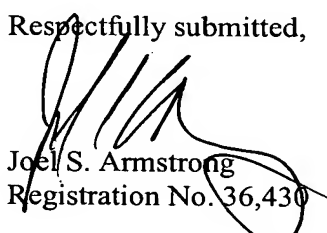
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(1-8) Insert Name(s) of Inventor(s)

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(2) LIOT Vincent (6) \_\_\_\_\_

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In consideration of the sum of one dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration paid to each of the undersigned, each undersigned agrees to assign, and hereby does assign, transfer and set over to

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(hereinafter designated as the Assignee) and Assignee's heirs, successors, assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest for the United States of America as defined in 35 U.S.C. §100, in the invention, and in all applications for patent including any and all provisional, non-provisional, divisional, continuation, international, confirmation, substitute and reissue application(s), and all Letters Patent, extensions, reissues and reexamination certificates that may be granted on the invention known as

(11) Insert Identification such as Title, Case Number, or Foreign Application Number (11) Optical device producing two beams capable of reaching a common sensor.

(Attorney Docket No. PCT/FR2003/002880 filed on October 1, 2003

for which the undersigned has (have) executed an application for patent in the United States of America on even date here with or

(12) Insert Date of Signing of Application (12) on February 14, 2005

(13) Alternative Identification for filed applications (13) U.S. application Serial Number 10/528,358  
filed May 25, 2005

1) Each undersigned agrees to execute all papers necessary in connection with any application and any continuing, divisional or reissue applications for the invention, and any patent(s) issuing thereon, and also to execute separate assignments in connection with such applications and patents as the Assignee may deem necessary.

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In witness where of, executed by the undersigned on the date(s) opposite the undersigned name(s).

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This assignment should preferably be signed before: (a) a Notary Public if within the U.S.A. (b) a U.S. Consul if outside the U.S.A. If neither, then it should be signed before at least two witnesses who also sign here:

Date <u>February 14, 2005</u>	Witness <u>Marie-Andrée JOUVRAY</u>
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